

For What It's Worth .

By CLIFFORD P. ROWE

Once upon a time there was a little man who got a four years' lease on one of the biggest houses in the country. He had no more than moved in than his friends, who helped him get the lease, began to move in with him. They were a rowdy lot and right away got themselves in bad among the neighbors with their evil ways.

Through it all, however, their host stuck by them. In the face of all criticism, he maintained that his friends could do no wrong and he refused to believe any charges against them. Naturally, as a result of this protective attitude, more friends of the same breed came to live with him and the neighbors began to have even more reason to complain of the goings on.

Finally, as his third year in the neighborhood drew to a close, he called all of his gang together and addressed them in this manner:

"Now listen to me, you lugs. You've raised havoc for three years now and I've stuck by you. You picked the pockets of practically everybody in the neighborhood and I've kept them from putting you in jail. You've even made yourself rich accepting bribes to put guys in my good graces.

"Well, it's got to stop. Uncle Samuel, who gave me this lease three years ago will be coming around in a few months to check up on things; and if you guys are still around, I'm sure to get the bum's rush and some Robert, Earl or Ike will be moving in here come next fall. So I want you to scram. From now on I don't even know you; and if you don't get out of your own free will, I'll have you kicked out.

"Of course, if my lease is renewed next year, I'll welcome you back with open arms but until then you're nothing but poison to me."

(And so we leave our hero for the present. The second instalment will come to you in November of 1952).

LANGLOIS

By Marian Brooks

Bertie Britton, Nancy and Roger Moore were home from the University of Oregon for the Thanksgiving vacation. Roger left Friday in order to attend the Oregon-Oregon State game. The girls left Saturday to be on hand for the home-coming dance.

Clifford Jenkins, county agent, visited Langlois grade school to talk about 4-H club activities and about Judy and Wilbur Jensens' trip to Chicago.

Marilyn Neff of Laurel Grove spent the week-end with Patty Mermilliod recently.

Mrs. Jones, primary teacher, received an injury to her eye and face when struck accidentally by a pitched ball. Mrs. Livermore took her to an oculist but the injuries were found not serious. Her spectacles were broken. She was able to return to school the following Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Stacy of Portland, parents of Mrs. Roy Stein, visited over Thanksgiving with their daughter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wise and daughter of Denmark were in Portland over the holidays.

Mrs. Elnora Rigik of Coos Bay was visiting friends in Langlois and Denmark, Saturday.

The Robert Flesher and Morris Adams families are moving from the Thompson house in Denmark to Port Orford.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Button and Mr. and Mrs. Warne Miller of Wedderburn were guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Chenoweth Thanksgiving day.

John Bruchler entered Mast

hospital, Myrtle Point, Tuesday, for minor surgery. He returned later in the week and is improving nicely.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Nilsen spent Thanksgiving with Lee Stonecyphers at Coquille. They have as guests their great-granddaughters, Catherine and Ann Whereat for the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Irwin of Denmark spent Thanksgiving at the home of their daughter, Mrs. J. W. Thornberg, Coos Bay. Returning with them was their grandson, Dickie, who spent the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Hen Rundberg of the airport road left Wednesday for Grants Pass where they will visit until Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Peabody of Medford spent Thursday to Sunday with the Frank Pooks at their ranch on airport road. Mrs. Peabody is Mrs. Pook's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayland Livermore and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Zimmerman were Sunday evening dinner guests of the James Mastropolitos.

Mrs. Rae Helmken returned from Eugene Sunday after spending a week with Mrs. Betty Boak.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Fuhrman and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pook were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Hawkins Sunday. The occasion was the meeting of Sunday club.

The parents of Mrs. Don West, Mr. and Mrs. McQueen, left for their home in Washington after an extended visit here.

Bill Brannon of Langlois, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Johnson of Port Orford and Mrs. Ida Hawkins of Portland attended the L. D. S.

dance at Lakeside, Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Floyd and two children of Eugene were the guests of the Fred Hargrand family over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Hofess have moved from their home on the Prairie to a new home up Sixes River on Sugar creek.

LeElla Kamp and Charleen Turner spent the week-end at Coos Bay visiting LeElla's sister.

Services will continue at the Langlois Community church every Sunday, Wednesday and Friday evenings for another two or three weeks. Elders Wyman and Blehm are in charge. Considerable interest is being shown in these meetings.

JoAnne Chapman of Coos Bay spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Al Berger and Darrell.

Congratulations to Mary Woodworth of Sixes in winning a 11-cu. ft. Deep Freeze by International Harvester in the White Satin sugar contest, sponsored by the Oregon State Grange and White Satin Sugar Company. She did it all with one little glass of loganberry jelly which must have been near perfection.

Maurene Bruchler and Jerry Kamp were married Saturday. It is reported they are going to Canada on their honeymoon.

Dick Barklow entered Mast hospital, Monday, for surgery. He was dismissed the last of the week and is recuperating at his sister's home at Myrtle Point.

This has been one of the busiest seasons the Langlois Cheese factory has experienced in years. Many new workers have been added.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Britton and Bertie spent Thanksgiving with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Powerie at Myrtle Point. The table was spread for seventeen guests.

The Mississippi Jubilee Singers entertained the combined high and grade assemblies on National Schools Assembly day. All enjoyed their fine singing.

Langlois high is diligently practicing on the school play, "The Cannibal Queen," to be presented Dec. 14 and 15.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Whereat of Denmark went to Eugene with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Stonecypher of Cosville early Saturday morning to attend the home-coming game. They returned Sunday.

There was a family get-together Thanksgiving day at the home of Mr. and Mrs. V. P. Cannon on their ranch north of Langlois. A son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cannon and daughter Lebanon, another son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Cannon and son of Coos Bay, and a single son, Cliff of Sweet Home, were present. Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Cannon of Lebanon remained for the week-end.

Mrs. Ray Steddom has organized a 4-H Knitting club. It is meeting every two weeks and is learning the fundamentals of the art. Five girls belong, Janice Boice, Mary Barklow, Linda Steddom, Janet Storm, and Marianne Swanney.

At a meeting of a 4-H sewing 2 group new officers were elected for the year: President, Charleen Turner; vice-president, Patsy Brown; secretary, Barbara Medlock; reporter, Dorothy Wigle; recreation committee, Ethel Sypher; song leader, Rosalie Turner. The name adopted was "Needle Breakers." The meeting date is every second and fourth Tuesdays. Leader is Mrs. Turner, assisted by Mrs. Waterman.

Gift Stationery with coast views at the Pilot office.

The new grocery department manage at Freeman's Chetco Store is Dell Randall, recently of Portland. Mr. Randall has had 18 years of experience in wholesale and retail grocery sales departments and comes highly recommended to Brookings.



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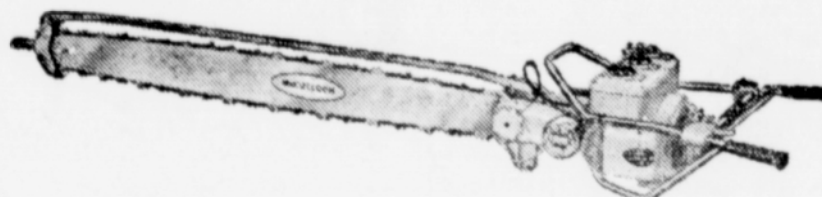
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